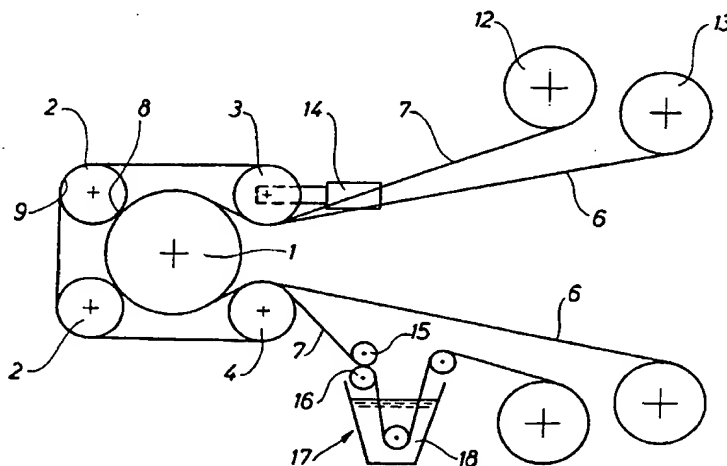




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(57) Abstract

Machine for transfer pattern printing of a textile web, said machine comprising a centre roller (1), at least one pressure roller (2), a tension roller (3), a reversing roller (4) and an endless belt (5) which is of a width substantially corresponding to the length of the pressure roller (2). The endless belt (5) extends about the tension roller (3) and the reversing roller (4), and a first portion (8) of the periphery of the pressure roller (2) abuts and exerts a pressure on the centre roller (1). While in continuous contact with one another, a pre-printed pattern-carrying web (6) and the textile web (7) can pass between the centre roller (1) and the pressure roller (2) and here be subjected to a local compression. The endless belt (5) is guided around a second portion (9) of the periphery of the pressure roller (2), said second portion being positioned substantially diametrically opposite the first portion (8) of said periphery of the pressure roller, whereby the pressure exerted by the pressure roller (2) on the centre roller (1) is adjustable by an adjustment of the tension in the endless belt (5) by means of the tension roller (3).